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ELECTRIC FURNACE EXTENSION APPARATUS (As Amended Herein)

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## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This paper is In reply to the Office Action dated January 9, 2007.

Amendments to the **Title** are presented on page 2.

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## **IN THE TITLE**:

Please amend the Title to be "A METHOD FOR EXTENDING AN OPTICAL FIBER GLASS BODY USING AN ELECTRIC FURNACE EXTENSION METHOD AND EXTENSION APPARATUS FOR OPTICAL FIBER GLASS PREFORM"